



STATE OF WISCONSIN

Assembly Journal

Ninety-Seventh Regular Session

12:30 P.M.

TUESDAY, January 9, 2007

The Assembly met in the Assembly Chamber located in the State Capitol.

Representative Rhoades in the chair.

The Assembly dispensed with the call of the roll.

[Clearinghouse Rule 06-096](#) effective 01-01-2007

January 8, 2007

Patrick Fuller
Assembly Chief Clerk
17 West Main Street, Suite 401
Madison, WI 53708

Dear Mr. Fuller:

Please find below a list of votes I would have cast had I been present for session on Wednesday, January 3, 2007 for you to record in the Assembly Journal.

For the election of Speaker; please record me as voting for Representative Kessler.

For the election of Speaker Pro Tempore; please record me as voting for Representative Gottlieb.

For the election of Assembly Chief Clerk; please record me as voting for Patrick E. Fuller.

For the election of Sergeant-at-Arms, please record me as voting for Richard Skinrud.

The question was: Shall Assembly Resolution 1 be adopted?
AYE

The question was: Shall Assembly Resolution 2 be adopted?
AYE

The question was: Shall Senate Joint Resolution 1 be concurred in? AYE

Thank you in advance for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,
GARY HEBL
State Representative
46th Assembly District

COMMUNICATIONS

State of Wisconsin
Revisor of Statutes Bureau
Madison

DATE: January 1, 2007

TO: Patrick E. Fuller
Assembly Chief Clerk

Robert Marchant
Senate Chief Clerk

FROM: Gary L. Poulson
Assistant Revisor of Statutes

SUBJECT: Rules published in the December 31, 2006,
Wisconsin Administrative Register, No. 612.

The following rules have been published:

Clearinghouse Rule 04-081	effective	01-01-2007
Clearinghouse Rule 05-113	effective	04-01-2007
Clearinghouse Rule 06-012	part eff.	02-01-2007
	part eff.	04-01-2007
Clearinghouse Rule 06-026	effective	01-01-2007
Clearinghouse Rule 06-034	effective	01-01-2007
Clearinghouse Rule 06-054	effective	01-01-2007
Clearinghouse Rule 06-055	effective	01-01-2007
Clearinghouse Rule 06-060	effective	01-01-2007
Clearinghouse Rule 06-066	effective	01-01-2007
Clearinghouse Rule 06-069	effective	01-01-2007
Clearinghouse Rule 06-072	effective	01-01-2007
Clearinghouse Rule 06-073	effective	01-01-2007
Clearinghouse Rule 06-074	effective	01-01-2007
Clearinghouse Rule 06-082	effective	04-01-2007
Clearinghouse Rule 06-083	effective	01-01-2007
Clearinghouse Rule 06-084	effective	01-01-2007
Clearinghouse Rule 06-089	effective	01-01-2007
Clearinghouse Rule 06-090	effective	01-01-2007
Clearinghouse Rule 06-092	effective	01-01-2007
Clearinghouse Rule 06-093	effective	01-01-2007

COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS

Each committee is followed by the number of Republicans and Democrats serving on the committee, meeting day and meeting week. The ranking minority party member of each committee is designated by an asterisk.

Aging and Long-Term Care (6, 5) Tuesday (Even)

Townsend, John (Chair)

Hines, J.A. (Vice-chair)
Owens, Carol
LeMahieu, Daniel
Strachota, Pat
Petersen, Kevin
Krusick, Peggy *
Gronemus, Barbara
Hintz, Gordon
Pope-Roberts, Sony
Hixson, Kim

Agriculture (6, 5) Thursday (Even)

Ott, Alvin (Chair)
Nerison, Lee (Vice-chair)
Williams, Mary
Mursau, Jeffrey
Murtha, John
Tauchen, Gary
Gronemus, Barbara *
Molepske, Louis Jr.
Jorgensen, Andy
Vruwink, Amy Sue
Garthwaite, Phil

Assembly Organization (5, 3)

Huebsch, Michael (Chair)
Fitzgerald, Jeff
Gottlieb, Mark
Honadel, Mark
Gundrum, Mark
Kreuser, James *
Richards, Jon
Turner, Robert

Biofuels and Sustainable Energy (5, 4) Wednesday (Odd)

Hahn, Eugene (Chair)
Wood, Jeffrey (Vice-chair)
Albers, Sheryl
Davis, Brett
Tauchen, Gary
Boyle, Frank *
Gronemus, Barbara
Hubler, Mary
Jorgensen, Andy

Children and Family Law (5, 3) Thursday (Even)

Owens, Carol (Chair)
Pridemore, Don (Vice-chair)
Albers, Sheryl
Jeskewitz, Suzanne
Kleefisch, Joel
Grigsby, Tamara *
Seidel, Donna
Berceau, Terese

Colleges and Universities (6, 4) Tuesday (Odd)

Nass, Stephen (Chair)
Ballweg, Joan (Vice-chair)
Jeskewitz, Suzanne
Zipperer, Rich
Gottlieb, Mark
Kleefisch, Joel

Shilling, Jennifer *
Smith, Jeff
Black, Spencer
Hintz, Gordon

Consumer Protection and Personal Privacy (5, 4) Thursday (Even)

Lothian, Thomas (Chair)
Davis, Brett (Vice-chair)
Townsend, John
Kerkman, Samantha
Mursau, Jeffrey
Cullen, David *
Krusick, Peggy
Shilling, Jennifer
Jorgensen, Andy

Corrections and the Courts (6, 5) Thursday (Even)

Bies, Garey (Chair)
Montgomery, Phil (Vice-chair)
Kaufert, Dean
Owens, Carol
Gundrum, Mark
LeMahieu, Daniel
Parisi, Joe *
Pocan, Mark
Wasserman, Sheldon
Pope-Roberts, Sony
Seidel, Donna

Criminal Justice (6, 5) Wednesday (Odd)

Kleefisch, Joel (Chair)
Friske, Donald (Vice-chair)
Albers, Sheryl
Owens, Carol
Vukmir, Leah
Kramer, Bill
Turner, Robert *
Staskunas, Anthony
Kessler, Frederick
Grigsby, Tamara
Hraychuck, Ann

Education (6, 4) Tuesday (Odd)

Davis, Brett (Chair)
Newcomer, Scott (Vice-chair)
Nass, Stephen
Townsend, John
Vukmir, Leah
Nygren, John
Pope-Roberts, Sony *
Mason, Cory
Van Akkeren, Terry
Hixson, Kim

Education Reform (5, 3) Tuesday (Even)

Pridemore, Don (Chair)
Nass, Stephen (Vice-chair)
Vukmir, Leah
Wood, Jeffrey
Ott, Jim
Pope-Roberts, Sony *
Krusick, Peggy
Williams, Annette

Elections and Constitutional Law (5, 3) Thursday

(Even)

Albers, Sheryl (Chair)
Gundrum, Mark (Vice-chair)
Montgomery, Phil
Kramer, Bill
Ott, Jim
Kessler, Frederick *
Williams, Annette
Molepske, Louis Jr.

Energy and Utilities (6, 4) Tuesday (Odd)

Montgomery, Phil (Chair)
Petersen, Kevin (Vice-chair)
Hahn, Eugene
Honadel, Mark
Davis, Brett
Nerison, Lee
Zepnick, Josh *
Staskunas, Tony
Steinbrink, John
Soletski, James

Financial Institutions (6, 5) Thursday (Even)

Newcomer, Scott (Chair)
Kaufert, Dean (Vice-chair)
Wieckert, Steve
Townsend, John
Kramer, Jim
Roth, Roger Jr.
Richards, Jon *
Zepnick, Josh
Smith, Jeff
Nelson, Tom
Hixson, Kim

Forestry (4, 3) Tuesday (Even)

Friske, Donald (Chair)
Mursau, Jeffrey (Vice-chair)
Ott, Alvin
Williams, Mary
Hubler, Mary *
Boyle, Frank
Sherman, Gary

Health and Health Care Reform (8, 5) Tuesday (Even)

Vukmir, Leah (Chair)
Moulton, Terry (Vice-chair)
Lasee, Frank
Wieckert, Steve
Strachota, Pat
Newcomer, Scott
Nygren, John
Zipperer, Rich
Wasserman, Sheldon *
Shilling, Jennifer
Vruwink, Amy Sue
Benedict, Chuck
Seidel, Donna

Homeland Security and State Preparedness (5, 4)

Tuesday (Even)

Ballweg, Joan (Chair)

Kerkman, Samantha (Vice-chair)
Musser, Terry
Hines, J.A.
Petersen, Kevin
Sinicki, Christine *
Schneider, Marlin
Ziegelbauer, Bob
Benedict, Chuck

Housing (4, 3) Thursday (Odd)

Wieckert, Steve (Chair)
Roth, Roger Jr. (Vice-chair)
Townsend, John
Honadel, Mark
Hebl, Gary *
Young, Leon
Williams, Annette

Insurance (7, 5) Thursday (Odd)

Lasee, Frank (Chair)
Nygren, John (Vice-chair)
Montgomery, Phil
Van Roy, Karl
Ballweg, Joan
Moulton, Terry
Kramer, Bill
Cullen, David *
Berceau, Terese
Ziegelbauer, Bob
Parisi, Joe
Hilgenberg, Steve

Jobs and the Economy (6, 4) Wednesday (Odd)

Strachota, Pat (Chair)
Honadel, Mark (Vice-chair)
Friske, Don
Kerkman, Samantha
Nygren, John
Roth, Roger Jr.
Sheridan, Mike *
Fields, Jason
Toles, Barbara
Mason, Cory

Judiciary and Ethics (6, 4) Thursday (Odd)

Gundrum, Mark (Chair)
Kramer, Bill (Vice-chair)
Friske, Don
Kerkman, Samantha
Kleefisch, Joel
Pridemore, Don
Staskunas, Tony *
Hintz, Gordon
Turner, Robert
Kessler, Frederick

Labor and Industry (6, 3) Wednesday (Even)

Honadel, Mark (Chair)
Gottlieb, Mark (Vice-chair)
Nass, Stephen
Wieckert, Steve
Newcomer, Scott
Murtha, John
Nelson, Tom *

Sheridan, Mike
Van Akkeren, Terry

Smith, Jeff
Jorgensen, Andy
Garthwaite, Phil

Natural Resources (8, 6) Wednesday (Odd)

Gunderson, Scott (Chair)
Ott, Jim (Vice-chair)
Bies, Garey
LeMahieu, Dan
Williams, Mary
Moulton, Terry
Nerison, Lee
Mursau, Jeffrey
Black, Spencer *
Molepske, Louis Jr.
Steinbrink, John
Hraychuck, Ann
Hebl, Gary
Mason, Cory

Property Rights (4, 2) Wednesday (Even)

Williams, Mary (Chair)
Albers, Sheryl (Vice-chair)
Musser, Terry
Gunderson, Scott
Molepske, Louis Jr. *
Gronemus, Barbara

Public Health (5, 4) Wednesday (Odd)

Hines, J.A. (Chair)
Vukmir, Leah (Vice-chair)
Ballweg, Joan
Moulton, Terry
Nerison, Lee
Benedict, Chuck*
Wasserman, Sheldon
Schneider, Marlin
Black, Spencer

Rules (7, 5)

Fitzgerald, Jeff (Chair)
Huebsch, Michael (Vice-chair)
Gottlieb, Mark
Gundrum, Mark
Honadel, Mark
Strachota, Pat
Williams, Mary
Kreuser, James *
Richards, Jon
Staskunas, Anthony
Travis, David
Grigsby, Tamara

Rural Affairs (5, 4) Tuesday (Odd)

Nerison, Lee (Chair)
Tauchen, Gary (Vice-chair)
Hahn, Eugene
Petrowski, Jerry
Wood, Jeffrey
Schneider, Marlin *

Rural Economic Development (5, 4) Wednesday (Even)

Mursau, Jeffrey (Chair)
Ott, Alvin (Vice-chair)
Williams, Mary
Wood, Jeffrey
Murtha, John
Travis, David *
Nelson, Tom
Garthwaite, Phil
Hilgenberg, Steve

Small Business (5, 4) Tuesday (Odd)

Moulton, Terry (Chair)
Murtha, John (Vice-chair)
Townsend, John
Van Roy, Karl
Ballweg, Joan
Fields, Jason *
Hilgenberg, Steve
Hebl, Gary
Soletski, James

State Affairs (6, 4) Tuesday (Even)

Van Roy, Karl (Chair)
Kleefisch, Joel (Vice-chair)
Musser, Terry
Petrowski, Jerry
Newcomer, Scott
Tauchen, Gary
Young, Leon *
Toles, Barbara
Benedict, Chuck
Sinicki, Christine

Tourism, Recreation and State Properties (6, 5)

Thursday (Odd)

Kaufert, Dean (Chair)
Williams, Mary (Vice-chair)
Gunderson, Scott
Bies, Garey
Hines, J.A.
Van Roy, Karl
Van Akkeren, Terry *
Soletski, James
Boyle, Frank
Hraychuck, Ann
Young, Leon

Transportation (7, 5) Thursday (Odd)

Petrowski, Jerry (Chair)
Bies, Garey (Vice-chair)
Ott, Alvin
Hahn, Eugene
Gottlieb, Mark
Van Roy, Karl
Davis, Brett
Steinbrink, John *
Vruwink, Amy Sue
Sheridan, Mike
Sherman, Gary

Garthwaite, Phil

Urban and Local Affairs (5, 4) Tuesday (Odd)

Gottlieb, Mark(Chair)
LeMahieu, Daniel(Vice-chair)
Gunderson, Scott
Lothian, Thomas
Pridemore, Don
Berceau, Terese *
Turner, Robert
Hintz, Gordon
Parisi, Joe

Veterans and Military Affairs (5, 4) Wednesday (Even)

Musser, Terry (Chair)
Townsend, John(Vice-chair)
Petrowski, Jerry
Bies, Garey
Petersen, Kevin
Sherman, Gary *
Hubler, Mary
Boyle, Frank
Turner, Robert

Ways and Means (7, 6) Wednesday (Even)

Kerkman, Samantha (Chair)
Lothian, Thomas (Vice-chair)
Hahn, Eugene
Jeskewitz, Suzanne
Wood, Jeffrey
Pridemore, Don
Strachota, Pat
Ziegelbauer, Bob*
Steinbrink, John
Fields, Jason
Hebl, Gary
Toles, Barbara
Kessler, Frederick

Workforce Development (7, 6) Thursday (Odd)

Wood, Jeffrey (Chair)
Strachota, Pat (Vice-chair)
Lothian, Thomas
Pridemore, Don
Ott, Jim
Roth, Roger Jr.
Zipperer, Rich
Toles, Barbara *
Fields, Jason
Grigsby, Tamara
Shilling, Jennifer
Zepnick, Josh
Sinicki, Christine

Joint Committee for Review of Administrative Rules (3, 2)

LeMahieu, Daniel (Co-chair)
Zipperer, Rich
Friske, Donald
Black, Spencer *
Nelson, Tom

Joint Committee on Employment Relations (3, 1)

Huebsch, Michael (Co-chair)

Fitzgerald, Jeff
Rhoades, Kitty
Kreuser, James *

Joint Committee on Finance (6, 2)

Rhoades, Kitty (Co-chair)
Meyer, Dan
Stone, Jeff
Kestell, Steve
Suder, Scott
Vos, Robin
Pocan, Mark *
Colon, Pedro

Joint Legislative Audit Committee (3, 2)

Jeskewitz, Suzanne (Co-chair)
Rhoades, Kitty
Kerkman, Samantha
Cullen, David *
Parisi, Joe

Joint Committee on Legislative Organization (3, 2)

Huebsch, Michael (Co-chair)
Fitzgerald, Jeff
Gundrum, Mark
Kreuser, James *
Richards, Jon

Joint Survey Committee on Retirement Systems (2, 1)

Jeskewitz, Suzanne(Co-chair)
Lothian, Thomas
Travis, David *

Joint Survey Committee on Tax Exemptions (2, 1)

Wood, Jeffrey (Co-chair)
Lasee, Frank
Hubler, Mary *

REFERRAL OF AGENCY REPORTS

State of Wisconsin
Wisconsin Technical College System
Madison

December 1, 2006

To the Honorable, the Legislature:

This letter certifies that all sixteen Wisconsin Technical Colleges have provided sexual assault and harassment orientation, materials and information to students as required under state statute 38.12(11) for the 2006-2007 school year.

Individual college letters assuring compliance are on file in our office at this time. If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Linda Fahey, System Equal Opportunity Office, at 267-2479.

Sincerely,
DANIEL CLANCY
President

Referred to committee on **Colleges and Universities.**

State of Wisconsin
University of Wisconsin-System
Madison

December 6, 2006

To the Honorable, the Legislature:

The 1999-2001 State of Wisconsin Biennial Budget, [1999 Wisconsin Act 9](#), included a provision to change the University of Wisconsin System's appropriation for tuition and fee revenues (Academic Student Fees, Fund 131) from an annual, sum certain appropriation to a continuing appropriation.

Wisconsin Act 9 required the Board of Regents to report annually, beginning on December 15, 2000, the amount by which actual expenditures in the previous fiscal year, in this case 2005-06, exceeded the amount in the schedule for that appropriation in the previous fiscal year. That report, including the purposes for which the additional revenues were spent and the amount spent for each purpose, is attached.

Please contact Lynn Paulson at (608) 263-7481, if you have any questions related to this report.

Sincerely,
DEBORAH A. DURCAN
Vice President for Finance

Referred to committee on **Colleges and Universities**.

Wisconsin Hospital Association
Inpatient Hospital Quality Indicators Report
Madison

December 15, 2006

To the Honorable, the Legislature:

Enclosed is a copy of the 2005 Wisconsin Inpatient Hospital Quality Indicators Report produced by WHA Information Center pursuant to s. [153.22](#), Wis. Stats. The report has been available on our Web site since October 2006. Please feel free to download and print additional copies.

If you have any question regarding the report you may contact me at 608-274-1820, 800-321-8340 or jkachelski@wha.org.

Sincerely,
JOSEPH KACHELSKI
Vice President

Referred to committee on **Health**.

State of Wisconsin
Medical College of Wisconsin
Milwaukee

December 20, 2006

To the Honorable, the Legislature:

Enclosed please find the Medical College of Wisconsin's (MCW) annual report for the Breast Cancer Research Program funded through the income tax check-off created by [2003 Wisconsin Act 176](#).

This document represents the first annual report highlighting the fiscal reporting period of September 15, 2005 – June 30, 2006. During the first fiscal year, MCW created the new research program and established its administrative structure, solicited breast cancer research proposals, and awarded three annual projects at \$50,000 each.

If you have any questions or comments regarding the report, please contact me at 414-456-8217.

Sincerely,
KATHRYN A. KUHN
Director of Government Affairs

Referred to committee on **Public Health**.

State of Wisconsin
Department of Health and Family Services
Madison

December 27, 2006

To the Honorable, the Legislature:

Enclosed is a copy of the Child Abuse and Neglect Report, 2005 Data, pursuant to s. [48.981](#). The report includes a statistical analysis of suspected child abuse and neglect reports received and investigated by county child protective services (CPS) agencies and the state Bureau of Milwaukee Child Welfare in calendar year 2005. The report also contains information on child fatalities due to child abuse or neglect.

Sincerely,
HELENE NELSON
Secretary

Referred to committee on **Children and Family Law**.

State of Wisconsin
Department of Health and Family Services
Madison

December 27, 2006

To the Honorable, the Legislature:

Section [46.03\(26\)](#) of the statutes requires the Department of Health and Family Services to report annually on information systems projects under development including the implementation schedule, estimate of costs, and methods of determining changes (if applicable).

The Department has three groups of systems now under development: (1) Public Health Information Network (PHIN), (2) the Vital Records Reengineering Project, and (3) the Medicaid Management Information System (MMIS) and related subsystems. The required information is included in the attached reports.

Sincerely,
HELENE NELSON
Secretary

Referred to committee on **Health**.

State of Wisconsin
Department of Health and Family Services
Madison

December 28, 2006

To the Honorable, the Legislature:

The Department of Health and Family Services is pleased to report to you and the Legislature on the development of a uniform document of gift form that will aid families considering the donation of a loved one's organs and tissues. This work was required by [2005 Wisconsin Act 229](#).

[2005 Wisconsin Act 229](#), effective November 1, 2006, required that additional information be included in any document of anatomical gift for organ and tissue donation. Act 229 also directed the DHFS to convene a group of interested parties to discuss and provide input about the development of a document for use by all parties including hospitals, organ procurement organizations, tissue banks, coroners and medical examiners involved in the donation process.

In September, DHFS convened a group to discuss the need for a statewide form. The group included representatives from the Wisconsin Hospital Association; University of Wisconsin Organ Procurement Organization; Wisconsin Donor Network Organ Procurement Organization; American Tissue Services Foundation; the Musculoskeletal Foundation; RTI Donor Services; Wisconsin Tissue Bank; the Lions Eye Bank of Wisconsin; the Wisconsin Coroners and Medical Examiners Association and the Wisconsin Funeral Directors Association. In the course of several meetings, the parties concluded that a uniform document had value and reached consensus on the specifics of the form. This document provides grieving families with the information they need and simplifies the consent process.

Through this effort, Wisconsin has become one of the first states to have a uniform consent form for organ, tissue and eye donation. The model form has been distributed to all organ and tissue recovery organizations, and the Wisconsin Hospital Association has shared it with their members. It has also been posted to the DHFS Forms Library at <http://dhfs.wisconsin.gov/forms/DPH/dph43025.pdf>. A copy of the document is attached.

Please let me know if you would like additional information.

Sincerely,
HELENE NELSON
Secretary

Referred to committee on **Health**.

State of Wisconsin
Department of Administration
Madison

December 29, 2006

To the Honorable, the Legislature:

This report is transmitted as required by s. [20.002\(11\)\(f\)](#), Wisconsin Statutes, (for distribution to the appropriate standing committees under s. [13.172\(3\)](#), Wisconsin Statutes) and confirms that the Department of Administration has found it necessary to exercise the "temporary reallocation of balances" authority provided by this section in order to meet payment responsibilities and cover resulting negative cash balances during the month of November 2006.

On November 1, 2006, the Medical Assistance Trust Fund cash balance closed at a negative \$12.0 million. This negative balance continued through November 30, 2006, when the fund's cash balance closed at a negative \$8.5 million. The Medical Assistance Trust Fund cash balance reached its intra-month low of a negative \$12.0 million on November 1, 2006. Wisconsin Act 211 authorizes the fiscal year 2007 transfer of \$25.4 million from the General Fund to the Medical Assistance Trust Fund, which will offset this cash deficiency.

On November 1, 2006, the Wisconsin Health Education Loan Repayment Fund cash balance closed at a negative \$2.0 thousand. This negative balance continued through November 30, 2006, when the fund's cash balance closed at a negative \$1.0 thousand. The Wisconsin Health Education Loan Repayment Fund cash balance reached its intra-month low of a negative \$2.0 thousand on November 1, 2006. The negative balance was due to the difference in the timing of revenues and expenditures.

On November 1, 2006, the Worker's Compensation Fund cash balance closed at a negative \$1.7 million. This negative balance continued through November 30, 2006, when the fund's cash balance closed at a negative \$2.8 million. The Worker's Compensation Fund cash balance reached its intra-month low of a negative \$2.8 million on November 30, 2006. The negative balance was due to the difference in the timing of revenues and expenditures.

The Medical Assistance Trust Fund, Wisconsin Health Education Loan Repayment Fund and Worker's Compensation Fund shortfalls were not in excess of the statutory interfund borrowing limitations and did not exceed the balances of the funds available for interfund borrowing.

The distribution of interest earnings to investment pool participants is based on the average daily balance in the pool and each fund's share. Therefore, the monthly calculation by the State Controller's Office will automatically reflect the use

of these temporary reallocations of balance authority, and as a result, the funds requiring the use of the authority will effectively bear the interest cost.

Sincerely,
STEPHEN E. BABLITCH
Secretary

Referred to committee on **Ways and Means**.

State of Wisconsin
Department of Administration
Madison

December 30, 2006

To the Honorable, the Legislature:

Please find enclosed the Service Award Program 2006 Annual Report. The Service Award Board developed the report with support from Department of Administration staff. The report provides an overview of the program and outlines the accomplishments for the program year.

Wisconsin State Statute 16.25(6) requires the Department to submit the report to the Chief Clerk of each house annually describing the activities of the board.

If you have any questions regarding the report, please contact Terri Lenz at the Department of Administration, Division of State Agency Services, at (608) 261-6580.

Sincerely,
PATRICK J. FARLEY
Service Aware Board

Referred to committee on **Urban and Local Affairs**.

State of Wisconsin
Office of the Commissioner of Insurance
Madison

January 4, 2007

To the Honorable, the Legislature:

In accordance with s. [893.55\(4\)\(d\)2.](#), I am pleased to submit this report to the Wisconsin State Legislature. The report, to

be submitted to the Legislature January 1 of every odd number year after the effective date of [2005 Act 183](#) (April 6, 2006), is to make any recommended changes to the limits on noneconomic damages as established by Act 183, including the reasons why such changes are necessary to meet the intent of the legislative findings under sub. (1d) of [2005 Act 183](#).

The attached report provides information regarding the background of [2005 Wisconsin Act 183](#), and discussion of any recommendations.

Sincerely,
CLARE STAPLETON CONCORD
Deputy Commissioner

Referred to committee on **Insurance**.

State of Wisconsin
Department of Regulation and Licensing
Madison

January 9, 2007

To the Honorable, the Legislature:

Please find attached the annual report of the Wisconsin Controlled Substances Board. Please let me know if you have questions.

Sincerely,
TOM RYAN
Director, Bureau of Health Professions

Referred to committee on **Criminal Justice**.

ADJOURNMENT

Representative Gundrum moved that the Assembly stand adjourned pursuant to **Senate Joint Resolution 1**.

The question was: Shall the Assembly stand adjourned?

Motion carried.

The Assembly stood adjourned.

12:31 P.M.